## ITEM 10 - Appendix 1

## SERVICES AND OTHER EXPENSES TO BE DISBURSED BY A (DEPUTY) RETURNING OFFICER

Fee for conducting the election, giving the prescribed notices, preparing and supplying nomination papers, deciding as to the validity of nominations, appointing and remunerating Deputy Returning Officers, arranging for or conducting the poll, counting the votes, declaring the result and making return of same and generally performing all the duties which a Returning Officer is required to perform under the Representation of the People Acts and the Rules and Regulations made thereunder, and including all disbursement and expenses other than those for which special provision has been hereinbefore made, as follows:

	<u>Proposed</u> <u>Fee from 4 May 2023</u>
Contested Elections	
For each electoral division, district ward:	
For the first 500 electors on the Register	£85.20
For every additional 500 electors or part thereof between 500 and 5,000	£28.30
For every additional 500 electors or part thereof between 5,000 and 7,500	£16.00
For every additional 500 electors or part thereof over 7,500	£8.10
<u>Uncontested Elections</u>	
For each division or ward	£25.30